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PASS TO J. MOORE AND B. OXMAN ON TRIP

E.O. 11652: GDS

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SUBJ: LOS: AMB STEVENSON CONSULTATIONS WITH JAPANESE

AMB OGISO DEPT

SUMMARY. AMB STEVENSON MET WITH AMB OGISO 17 MAY TO DISCUSS  
SUBMISSION OF ALTERNATIVE TEXTS ON NON-EXCLUSIVE ECONOMIC  
ZONE FOR EVENSON PAPER AND CONSULTATIONS. END SUMMARY

1. AMB STEVENSON OPENED DISCUSSION BY THANKING OGISO FOR  
JAPANESE PAPER ON VOLUNTARY MEASURES TO RELIEVE PRESSURE  
ON BRISTOL BAY SALMON IN 1974 DELIVERED TO DEPARTMENT.  
STEVENSON STATED PAPER HAD BEEN STUDIED BY US FISHERIES  
EXPERTS WHO CONCLUDED THAT SERIOUS PROBLEMS REMAINED.

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MEASURES APPEARED SIMILAR TO THOSE PROPOSED BY GOJ LAST

FEB AND WOULD NOT BE REGARDED AS ADEQUATE RESPONSE TO SERIOUS ALASKAN PROBLEM WITH BRISTOL BAY SALMON FISHERY. OGISO SAID THAT PAPER WAS INTENDED TO NOTIFY US OF STEPS GOJ WAS TAKING IN LIGHT OF VIEWS EXPRESSED BY US AT TIME OF HEARING ON 200-MILE BILL AND REPRESENTED MAXIMUM EFFORT BY JAPANESE FISHING AUTHORITIES.

2. AMB STEVENSON THEN TOLD OGISO THAT US DELEGATION HAD MET WITH SOVS FOR TWO DAYS FOLLOWING RECENT GROUP OF 5 CONSULTATIONS TO CONTINUE WORK ON ANONYMOUS TEXT TO BE GIVEN TO EVENSEN IN CONNECTION WITH REVISION OF HIS ECONOMIC ZONE PAPER. HE GAVE OGISO COPIES OF TEXT WHICH STEVENSON SAID WOULD BE DISCUSSED IN NEAR FUTURE WITH JACKLING (UK) AND JEANNEL (FRANCE). STEVENSON SAID HE HOPED GOJ COULD ACCEPT AS MUCH OF TEXT AS POSSIBLE AND SUBMIT ONLY MINIMUM NUMBER OF ALTERNATIVES. STEVENSON STRESSED COMMON INTEREST IN FULL UTILIZATION PRINCIPLE WHICH WOULD APPLY TO HOST STATE JURISDICTION OVER SALMON AS WELL AS COASTAL STATE JURISDICTION OVER COASTAL SPECIES. OGISO SAID GOJ WOULD APPRECIATE US KEEPING SALMON CLAUSE IN SOME KIND OF PENDING STATUS TO ALLOW FURTHER GOJ-US CONSULTATIONS IN CARACAS. STEVENSON REPLIED THAT BECAUSE OF STRONG US POSITION ON ISSUE (SHARED BY SOVS AND UK AND ACCEPTED BY FRANCE), HE IS UNWILLING TO DO THIS BUT OF COURSE OGISO WOULD BE FREE TO SUBMIT AN ALTERNATIVE ON THIS TO EVENSEN.

4. AMB STEVENSON WENT ON TO EXPLAIN THAT ACCORDING TO NORWAY DELOFF (VINDENES) EVENSEN INTENDED TO CIRCULATE REVISED TEXT TO MEMBERS OF EVENSEN GROUP BEFORE CONF CONVENES IN CARACAS. TO INSURE GROUP OF 5 VIEWS WOULD BE INFLUENTIAL, STEVENSON SAID ALTERNATIVE TEXT OR TEXTS SHOULD BE GIVEN TO EVENSEN BEFORE END OF MAY. OGISO SAID HE WAS RETURNING TO TOKYO AT END OF MAY AND WOULD DISCUSS US REQUEST WITH HIS MINISTRY BUT SAID DECISION ON ALTERNATIVES COULD NOT BE EXPECTED BEFORE 10 JUNE. OGISO PROPOSED NOTIFYING EVENSEN THAT ALTERNATIVE TEXT ARTICLES OR TEXTS WERE FORTHCOMING AND ASK FOR DELAY. STEVENSON REPLIED THAT HE WOULD DISCUSS THIS WITH JACKLING AND JEANNEL AND WOULD REMAIN IN TOUCH WITH JAPANESE MISSION.

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5. AMB OGISO DEPARTS NY 20 MAY FOR WEEK TRIP ACROSS US AND WILL RETURN NY 11 JUNE. IGUCHI AND OSHIMA WILL BE LOS CONTACTS IN NY DURING ABSENCE.  
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